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DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

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Subject : Miscellaneous Information

Purpose

This memo provides information regarding:

- Dealer's and Dismantler's Handbooks
- Zero Emissions Vehicle (ZEV) Parking Decal
- 60 Day Registration Renewal

Dealer's and Dismantler's Handbooks

The Dealer's Handbook and the Dismantler's Handbook are now available on department's website at www.dmv.ca.gov under Publications.

Zero Emissions Vehicle (ZEV) Parking Decal

Beginning July 1, 2003, zero emission vehicles (ZEVs) will be eligible for a distinctive decal issued for parking and fueling electric vehicles in designated parking spaces. The decal is two inches square, white with green lettering and a green car graphic, and contains a black decal number. The decal must be placed on the driver's side rear window or the back bumper of the vehicle.

The Application for Zero Emissions Vehicle (ZEV) Parking Decal (REG 4048) is available on the department's internet site at www.dmv.ca.gov, by calling a Telephone Service Center at 1-800-777-0133, or from DMV field offices. To obtain a ZEV decal, ZEV owners must send a completed REG 4048 and \$17 to:

**DMV, ZEV Parking Decal
Special Processing Unit, MS D-238
P.O. Box 932345
Sacramento, CA 94232-3450**



NOTE: ZEV decal applications cannot be processed in local DMV offices. Only the Special Processing Unit (SPU) processes and issues the ZEV decals

60 Day Registration Renewal

Per California Vehicle Code Section 4601(b), renewal of registration may be obtained **not more than** 60 days prior to the expiration of the current registration. Programming has been completed to process registration renewal fees within the 60 day time frame.

- Applications submitted for registration renewal **more than** 60 days prior to the vehicle's expiration date will not be processed.
- Transfers, replacement plates or sticker applications will be processed **without** the renewal fees, if the renewal is **more than** 60 days prior to the expiration date.

Distribution

This memo was distributed in JUNE 2003 to the following:

- Dealers
- Registration Services

Contact

Contact the DMV Customer Communications Section at (916) 657-6560 for further clarification of this memo.

Upon request, this document can be produced in Braille or large print.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Candy Wohlford". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Candy" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Wohlford".

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